GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Agriculture & Cooperation Department – Establishment – A.P.A.S. – Inclusion of the name of Sri V. Sridhar, JDA, in the panel of Joint Director of Agriculture for promotion to the category of Additional Director of Agriculture for the panel year 2023-24 - Orders - Issued.

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AGRICULTURE & COOPERATION (AGRI.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.88 Dated:24.09.2024

Read the following:-

1. From the Special Commissioner of Agriculture, AP, Guntur, Lr.No.AGC02- 32021(36)/4/2024, dt.05.07.2024.
2. G.O.Rt.No.552, Agri. & Coop. (Agri.I) Dept., dt.16.08.2024.
3. U.O Note.No.2531855/SER.C/2024-6, G.A. (Ser.C) Dept., dt.27.08.2024 along with proceedings of the DPC meeting for the panel year 2023-24 held on 22.08.2024.

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O R D E R:-

The Special Commissioner of Agriculture, AP, Guntur in the letter 1st read above has submitted the DPC proposals for inclusion of the name of Sri V. Sridhar, JDA for considering promotion of Joint Director of Agriculture to the category of Additional Director of Agriculture for the panel year 2023 – 2024 and stated that Smt. D. Prameela, Additional Director of Agriculture in the O/o. the Commissioner and Director of Agriculture, A.P, Guntur has retired from the public service on attaining the age of Superannuation i.e., on 31.07.2024. There is every need to convene DPC meeting for considering the promotions of JDAs to the post of Additional Director of Agriculture for the panel year 2023-2024, since the Additional Directors of Agriculture in the Department look after the Technical as well as Administrative aspects and keeping the posts vacant for long period require additional charge arrangements which may not be effective.

2. According to G.O.Ms.No.175, G.A. (Ser.A) Dept., dated:27.11.2017 "notwithstanding anything contained in the relevant Special Rules for the State and Subordinate Services and in supersession of the Adhoc rule issued in relation to prescribing minimum service for promotion / appointment by transfer, no member of service is eligible for promotion / appointment by transfer from the lower category, class or grade, to the next high category,

unless he has put in not less than two (02) years service in such lower category, class or grade". Accordingly, as per APAS Rules issued in G.O.Ms.23, Agri. & Coop., (Agri. I), Dept, dt.29.04.2021, no member of service shall be eligible for promotions/appointment by transfer from the lower category, class or grade, to the next higher category unless he/she has put in not less than two (2) years of service in such lower category, class or grade.

3. As the Government is the competent authority to conduct DPC of Joint Director of Agriculture as Additional Director of Agriculture and posting of Additional Director of Agriculture, the Special Commissioner of Agriculture, AP, Guntur has requested the Government to convene the meeting of the DPC and issue orders in the matter for considering the Joint Director of Agriculture for promotion as Additional Director of Agriculture for the panel year 2023 - 2024.

4. The Special Commissioner of Agriculture, A.P., Guntur has submitted the DPC proposals for considering promotion of Joint Director of Agriculture to the category of Additional Director of Agriculture for the Panel Year 2023-2024.

5. Government after careful examination of the entire matter and after consideration of the recommendations of the Departmental Promotion Committee, hereby approve the name of Sri V. Sridhar, Joint Director of Agriculture for inclusion in the panel of Joint Director of Agriculture fit for promotion to the category of Additional Director of Agriculture, Agriculture Department for the panel year 2023-24 in the pay scale of Rs.1,01,970/- - Rs.1,74,790/- plus usual allowances admissible under the rules in force from time to time.

6. Consequent on promotion as Additional Director of Agriculture, Sri V. Sridhar, is posted as Additional Director of Agriculture, in the O/o. the Commissioner & Director of Agriculture, AP, Guntur.

7. Sri V. Sridhar, should join in the promotion post of Additional Director of Agriculture within 15 days from the date of receipt of this order. If he fails to join or evade joining by applying for leave or otherwise, within the stipulated time, he shall forfeit all his rights both for the present and future post of Additional Director of Agriculture without any notice in terms of Rule 11(b) of the A.P. State and Sub-ordinate Service Rules, read with G.O.Ms.No.145, Genl. Administration (Ser.D) Department, dt:15.06.2004.

8. The above orders are subject to the outcome of SLPs/ W.Ps/ W.As/R.Ps/ C.As etc., if any, pending before the Tribunal / Courts etc.

9. The Director of Agriculture, AP, Guntur shall take further necessary action in the matter, accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

B. RAJSEKHAR, I.A.S.
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
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//FORWARDED :: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER